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Date: January 26, 2004

By:

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PATENT
Docket No. GC525-C3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application:)	
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Jones et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1652
)	
Serial No.: 09/938,940)	Examiner: Richard G. Hutson
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Filed: August 24, 2001)	
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For: Chemically Modified Mutant Enzymes and)	
Methods for Producing Them, and Screening)	
Them for Amidase and/or Esterase Activity)	

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action dated July 25, 2003:

one month to _____; the extension fee is \$110.00.
two months to _____; the extension fee is \$420.00.
three months to January 25, 2004; the extension fee is \$950.00.
four months to _____; the extension fee is \$1,480.00.
five months to _____; the extension fee is \$2,010.00.

The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated _____.

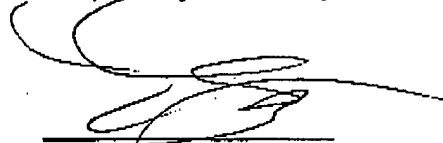
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC525-C3). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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